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Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for responding to the Office Action mailed August 31, 2000.

The requested extension is for one (1) month, extending the period for response to December 31, 2000.

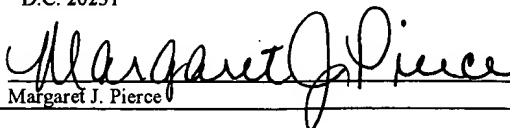
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A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the fee to file this petition for one-month extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by this filing, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of the transmittal sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 12/29/00

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